

# DEFERRAL BRIEFING

Item # 5.1.1

**Deputy City Manager's Office Deferral to  
Intergovernmental Affairs Committee  
2022 April 06**

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IGA2022-0354**

## **Deferral request – City - Rocky View County relationship due Q2 2021 to return by Q2 2023**

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On 2021 March 15, as part of the Strategic Meeting of Council, confidential direction was provided to Administration to report back with an update on The City's attempt to renew its relationship with Rocky View County. This work has since been included in the City Planning Policy Roadmap 2022 and while the relationship renewal has been initiated, much of the required work is ongoing. The following provides an overview of work completed to date:

- Letters exchanged between Mayor Nenshi and Reeve Henn, September of 2021, expressed a willingness to reset the relationship and undertake a process to collaboratively solve these issues.
- Following the 2021 municipal elections, the newly elected Mayor Jyoti Gondek and Mayor Don Kochan have met and confirmed a commitment for strengthening the relationship between Calgary and Rocky View County. At this time, it was expressed it may be premature to seek facilitated dialogue between elected officials.
- Administration for both municipalities continue to identify potential approaches for collaborative resolution of issues for Council approval and support elected officials in their efforts to do the same.

### **Outstanding Work**

With a renewed commitment to collaboration by new Mayors and Councils for The City and Rocky View County and collaborative administrative work continuing to occur subject to ongoing regional and intermunicipal discussions, it is premature to report back at this time. As a result, Administration is requesting this update be deferred and a fulsome report be brought to Council no later than Q2 2023.